

Medicare Beneficiaries with Prescription Drug Coverage

Nebraska – State Data

Senators Hagel / Nelson

Total Medicare Beneficiaries in Nebraska	262,809
Total Medicare Beneficiaries with Prescription Drug Coverage	242,080
Total Percentage with Drug Coverage in Nebraska	92%
Beneficiaries with Drug Coverage from Medicare or Former Employers*	208,040
Beneficiaries with Other Creditable Coverage**	34,040
Percentage with Other Creditable Coverage	13%

Medicare Beneficiaries with Prescription Drug Coverage in Nebraska by Congressional District

Congressional District	Medicare Beneficiaries	Beneficiaries with Drug Coverage from Medicare or Former Employers*			Percentage with Drug Coverage from Medicare or Former Employers
		1/21/06	6/11/06	Percent Increase	
NE01 - Fortenberry	86,928	29,992	68,190	127%	78%*
NE02 - Terry	71,689	33,654	58,344	73%	81%*
NE03 - Osborne	104,193	35,433	81,506	130%	78%*

* This does not include individuals with other creditable coverage, such as through the Veteran's Administration, Indian Health Service, current employers for active workers with Medicare Secondary Payer, and other retiree coverage and State Pharmaceutical Assistance Programs. **This information is not available by congressional districts.** The statewide average percentage of those with other creditable coverage is 13% for the State of Nebraska.

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